

REMARKS

Each of claims 1-9 is now currently amended.

Claims 2, 6 and 8 have been amended to change the first word from "A" to "The".

Claims 3,4,5, 7 and 9 have been amended to eliminate the multiple dependencies.

Claim 1 has been amended to eliminate references to drawing elements. Claim 5 has been amended to add the phrase, "a mass-produced universal dental appliance which comprises two parts, the parts intended in use to contact the posterior teeth on respective opposite sides of either the upper or lower jaw." This amendment is fully supported in the specification and drawings.

Claim 10 has been added and is directed to the method of claim 5 wherein the materials and structure of each part are set forth.

Respectfully submitted,

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